IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA EASTERN DIVISION

TERRY LIGON #220217,)
Petitioner,)
V.) CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:05-CV-707-
J. C. GILES, et al., Respondents.)))

ORDER

Terry Ligon ["Ligon"], a state inmate, filed a petition under 28 U.S.C. § 2254 challenging convictions imposed upon him by the Circuit Court of Russell County, Alabama on November 11, 2001. However, the petitioner did not file a motion for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* with the necessary documentation from the prison account clerk nor did he submit the requisite \$5.00 filing fee. In light of the foregoing, it is

ORDERED that on or before August 18, 2005 the petitioner shall file either an affidavit in support of a request for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* accompanied by a prison account statement from the account clerk at the Ventress Correctional Facility showing the balance in his prison account at the time of his filing this petition or the \$5.00 filing fee.

To aid the petitioner in complying with this order, the CLERK is DIRECTED to furnish him with a copy of the form affidavit used by persons seeking to proceed *in forma*

pauperis before this court.

Done this 4th day of August, 2005.

/s/Charles S. Coody
CHARLES S. COODY

CHIEF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE